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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Palpu Pushpangadan et al. : Art Unit: 1654  
Serial No.: 09/944,261 : Examiner: Coe, Susan D.  
Filed: 08/31/2001 :

FOR: CUSTOM MADE HERBAL HEALTH PROTECTIVE NUTRACEUTICAL FORMULATION  
FOR FEMALES/EXPECTANT MOTHERS AND PROCESS FOR PREPARING SAME

**RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

S I R :

In response to the Restriction Requirement and Election of Species  
dated February 21, 2003, Applicants make the following elections.

Applicants elect the claims of Group I, claim 1-20, drawn to a herbal  
formulation.

Applicants elect *Glycine max* as the legume.

Applicants elect *Hordeum vulgare* as the cereal.

Applicants elect *Amaranthus hypochondriacus* as the pseudocereal.

Claims 1, 2, 3, 5, 8-20, and newly presented 49 are readable on the  
elected legume. Claims 1, 2, 5, 6, 8-20, and newly presented 50 are readable on the  
elected cereal. Claims 1, 2, 5, 7-20, and newly presented 51 are readable on the  
elected pseudocereal.